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Lexington's Semi-Annual Trade Event.

## Lovenhart's Mid-Summer Cut Price Sale!

Just a few words in explanation that you may understand the full meaning of this money-saving opportunity. Twice each year we hold these sales for the purpose of closing out, as nearly as possible, all spring and summer stock. It is a plain business proposition that we sacrifice first-class merchandise rather than carry it over.

Men's and Boys' Suits 20 per cent. Discount.

Straw Hats—1-5 off.

Cool Underwear—50c line 44c; \$1.00 line 89c; \$1.50 line \$1.28; \$2.00 line \$1.78.

Fancy Hosiery—20 per cents off.

Light Night Robes 44c.

Negligee Shirts—50c line 44c; \$1 line 89c; \$1.50 line \$1.23; \$2 line \$1.65.

One hundred Men's Suits—regular \$10 and \$12.50 value, put in one \$5.00

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Modern Clothiers & Hatters, Lex. Ky.

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IF YOU WANT SOMETHING TO  
RIDE IN LOOK MY STOCK  
OVER.

I Carry a Complete Stock of the Very Best  
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Tray Buggy Co.'s  
Fine Work.

USE THE  
Genuine Kelly Rubber Tires.  
**ROBT. J. NEELY**

### Base Ball.

All lovers of base ball should turn out Sunday afternoon to witness the game of ball between Paris and Cincinnati. This will undoubtedly be the greatest game of the season. Only by the merest chance was Manager Thomas, of the Paris team, able to secure a game with the famous Cincinnati, as Sunday will be an open date with this team. It will be a costly game for the local management, but having won four straight victories they decided to bring the cream of the profession here that local lovers of the National game could enjoy an afternoon pleasantly, and see a first class game of ball right here at home. There is plenty of shade and the breeze down the little valley is most enjoyable these warm days. Admission 25 cents, ladies free. Game called at 3 p.m. Go early and see the boys at practice.

FARMERS.—The most convenient place to unload is at Peed & Dodson's. Call and get your sacks early. They will pay the highest market price for your wheat. (July 28 till Aug.)

### LIVE STOCK, CROP, ETC.

Highball, the American Derby winner and one of the best three-year-olds in the country, broke his leg at the ankle Tuesday during the running of the Seagate Stakes at Brighton Beach. As Highball is insured for \$25,000 a message was sent to a representative of the insurance company in New York to come at once to look at the horse and end his agony, but Bud May, a half owner of the horse, would not consent to have him shot.

Maj. W. C. Owens, executor of Mrs. E. J. Owers, his mother, sold publicly the farm of 213 acres, in Scott county, to Mr. Chas. Hall, at \$59 per acre.

Mrs. Mary Eliza Muir, of Scott, has sold her farm, near Georgetown, containing 140 acres, to Lon Atkins for \$11,000.

The promise is for a heavy corn crop.

### Fruit Jars.

When you're ready to put up your blackberries, peaches, etc., see Saloshin for your Mason's Fruit Jars, he can give you some bargains.

WHEAT SACKS.—Plenty of wheat sacks at Peed & Dodson's. They will quote you prices every day. Both Phones 140.

THE four distinct points made most clear in the great convention at St. Louis last week were: First, delegates from all parts of the country were among the Democrats to lay aside factional differences and get together as a united Democracy. That the conservative element in Democratic party dominates and, third, that in Alton Brooks Parker the Democracy has found a leader of unquestioned manhood, unblemished honor, courage and ability, and fourth, that in the nomination of Henry G. Davis for the Vice Presidency it presents to the suffrages of the people a man trained in public and business affairs and fully up to the standard required for the first place on the ticket.

COME AND SEE OUR

**...Yellow Fellows...**  
**avery's EASY**  
**AND MAJESTIC**  
**CULTIVATORS!**

They Will Please You and Make  
You Money.

JUST RECEIVED A CARLOAD OF

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## GREAT

**Semi-Annual** **CLEARANCE**  
**BEGINNING** **SALE - 4 DAYS,**  
**MONDAY JULY 18TH 8 A. M.**

Our stock was entirely new this season, and it will be our policy to keep it so by carrying no merchandise of this season over to next. Muslin Underwear, Silks, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Lunch Cloths, Battenburg and Japanese Hand-drawn Linen Pieces, Wash Goods, Lace Curtains, Umbrellas, Counterpanes, Rugs and Druggets, &c. Space will not permit us to mention the many things to be included in this sale. Do not fail to attend. You are to be benefited as well as we.

**W. ED TUCKER**

**MAIN STREET**  
**PARIS KENTUCKY**  
**DON'T FORGET THE DATES.**

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OFFICE AND RESIDENCE 177 N. B'WAY,

Lexington, Kentucky.

## Frankfort &amp; Cincinnati Railway.

## "THE MIDLAND ROUTE."

## LOCAL TIME CARD

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**BIG COUNTY CHARITY**

HOW THE POOR OF CHICAGO ARE BEING CARED FOR.

## MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR

Such Is the Sum the Tax Payers Are Spending for the Indigent Classes—Where the Money Goes.



Home for Cure of Tuberculosis at Dunning.

Chicago.—Upon its needy of nearly two and one-half millions of people Cook county is expending each year practically a round million of dollars in various forms of charity. This is the contribution to the poor of the county government, and does not include the sums expended either by the city or by the various charitable organizations. Neither does it include the amounts expended year after year for buildings for the charitable institutions.

This vast sum of money goes to care for many classes of the indigent poor. It cares for the insane at Dunning; it heals the wounds of the afflicted at the Cook county hospital; it provides food for the hungry and coal for the cold through the medium of the county agent, and it buries the pauper dead.

From the standpoint of the sociological student there are few more interesting places than Dunning. Within the protecting walls of its many buildings hundreds of insane are cared for at all times. To the poor are sent, there to complete their allotted days surrounded by such necessities, if not luxuries, as the public can bestow. There one may find the representatives of all nations and all peoples. The latest addition to this remarkable institution is the hospital for indigent consumptives, built upon the most modern lines, with fresh air and sunshine to be had from every side. Within this building about 160 patients may be accommodated at one time. These patients come from the overcrowded and infected slums. They are the victims of the sweat shops and the dust-ridden factories. The sunlight and fresh air of Dunning gives to them their one chance for life. Here they are surrounded by such luxuries, provided at public expense, as they have not known before.

The Insane.



Cottages for the Insane at Dunning.

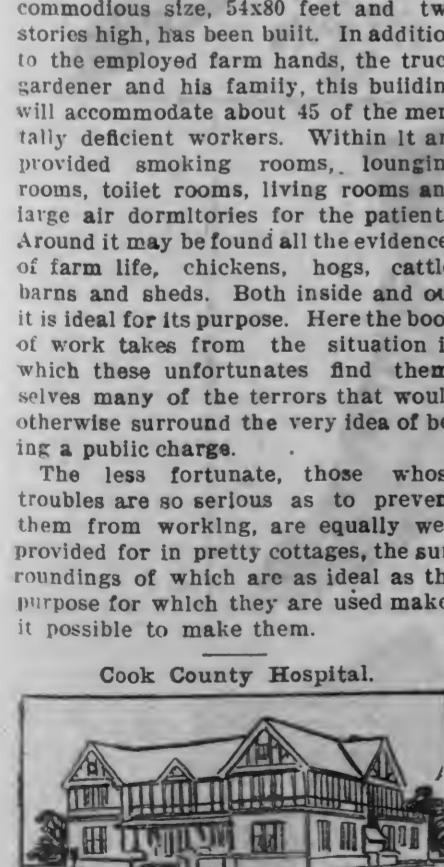
More pitiful in their helplessness than the consumptives are the insane. Many of them with reason driven out by the troubles that beset the poor of a large city, the to them unsolvable problem of providing food, clothing and shelter for families and self in the midst of competition that is both nerve and muscle wracking.

Unlike the new conditions in the state prisons these poor demented souls are not left to think of their troubles. Such of them as are physically able to work are provided with tasks that come as a greater boon than shelter, food and clothing could possibly be alone. A spacious farm provides employment for the great majority of those able to work.

On this farm is raised, by the help of these workers, much of the vegetables that are needed for the tables, much of the feed for the cows and horses necessary to the maintenance of the place. For the workers a pleasant cottage of commodious size, 5x80 feet and two stories high, has been built. In addition to the employed farm hands, the truck gardener and his family, this building will accommodate about 45 of the mentally deficient workers. Within it are provided smoking rooms, lounging rooms, toilet rooms, living rooms and large air dormitories for the patients. Around it may be found all the evidences of farm life, chickens, hogs, cattle, barns and sheds. Both inside and out it is ideal for its purpose. Here the boom of work takes from the situation in which these unfortunate find themselves many of the terrors that would otherwise surround the very idea of being a public charge.

The less fortunate, those whose troubles are so serious as to prevent them from working, are equally well provided for in pretty cottages, the surroundings of which are as ideal as the purpose for which they are used makes it possible to make them.

Cook County Hospital.



Farm Cottage at Dunning.

Imagine, if you can, a hospital in which more than 22,000 cases are treated in a year, a hospital so large that its buildings cover four city blocks, and you have the Cook county hospital, located in the center of the West side of Chicago, and but a short distance from the largest ghetto district of the city.

The history of this great institution for the treatment of the poor is interesting, and in a way is illustrative of the

growth of the city. Its beginning may be said to date from 1866, when the county commissioners leased two wards in the city hospital, in which could be accommodated 12 patients. The beginning of the present series of buildings came in 1875, but little more than quarter of a century ago, when two pavilions were erected. From that time to the present the institution has grown in size with remarkable speed. The latest buildings to be added are one for the treatment of contagious diseases, and another for the care of children. In the former of these two 160 patients may be accommodated at one time, and in the latter 100 little tots may find opportunity to recover from their afflictions, assisted in the struggle by the best that medical science can offer. From its beginning in 1866, with accommodations for 12 patients, the hospital has grown to be one of the largest and best appointed institutions of its kind in the world. Its employees of doctors, internes and nurses number several hundred. The privilege of serving an internship here is sought for by the medical students of the city, and fortunate are those considered who pass sufficiently high in their studies to land the coveted prize.

The Cases Treated.



Children's Building at County Hospital.

It is interesting, even though somewhat grievesome, to study the statistics of the cases treated at this great hospital. This may be done from a tabulated statement recently issued by the warden, which represents a year in which a total of 22,227 cases of all kinds were treated. The warden is commenting on this tabulated statement says:

"Not only among medical cases, but far beyond any other disease or condition enumerated in our list, pneumonia, with a total of 1,117 and a death record of 536, stands out most prominently. This is but another bit of evidence of the alarming extent of this scourge. The figures show a mortality of almost 50 per cent."

"Among medical cases, rheumatism follows pneumonia in number of cases. To its credit are given 541. Tuberculosis, with 534, does not quite equal the number of deaths from pneumonia, and gives a very interesting comparison between these two diseases. Typhoid fever shows a total of 439 and syphilis 363, being quite noteworthy in point of numbers.

"On the surgical side, fractures show the greatest number of cases, ranging close to a thousand. The actual number on record is 931, of which 866 are simple and 65 compound. This division may not be exact, as all cases reported simply as fractures, in which compound was not specified, were classified under the head of simple fractures. It will be seen by a glance at the table that nearly all varieties of fractures are included in the record. Scalp wounds show a total of 574, while contused, gunshot, lacerated, incised and punctured wounds are all numerous.

"Cellulitis has 240 and erysipelas 192. Hernia has 224 to its credit, and appendicitis 145. It is more probable that a considerable number of the 54 cases under peritonitis were originally due to appendicitis."

Feeding the Poor.



Hospital for Contagious Diseases, County Hospital.

Quite as interesting as either the institutions at Dunning or the Cook county hospital is what is called the out-door relief work of the county government, consisting of feeding, clothing and warming the poor who apply for assistance of this kind. In this work \$114,000 was expended in 1903, and the best method of illustrating what this means may be by quoting a few items from the report of the county's charity agent for that year:

"Provisions and coal were supplied from one to 12 times during the year to 6,811 families.

"Two million forty-two thousand four hundred and eighty-nine pounds of provisions were distributed during the year.

"Three thousand and four pairs of shoes were given children, to enable them to attend school.

"Two thousand nine hundred and fifty-four widows and 801 deserted women, 95 per cent. of whom have families of young children to support, were recipients of relief from one to 12 times in each case during the year.

"Of the 2,056 married couples, widowers and single persons, 1,734 of such cases who are heads of families are over 50 and up to 100 years of age, 1,322 cases being under 50 years of age.

"Sixteen thousand six hundred and six children under 16 years of age, and 3,804 adults, making up the total of the above 6,811 families.

"Seven hundred and fifty-three of the 6,811 families are those of veterans of the civil war.

"Six thousand two hundred and ninety-one adults and children were given medical attention by our medical staff, and medicine was supplied 2,707 times.

"One thousand seven hundred and sixteen persons were sent to the county infirmary, poorhouse and hospital for convalescents.

WRIGHT A. PATTERSON.

**A DOUBLE MURDER.**

Mother and Child Thrown Into an Old Well.

The Latter Dead When Found, But the Former Lingered Several Hours  
—Young Man Arrested and Held as a Suspect.

Newcastle, Ind., July 12.—Mrs. William Starbuck, the victim of Saturday night's criminal assault near Greensboro, died at 4 o'clock Monday morning.

Upon the return home of the woman's husband Saturday night he found his wife and little baby missing and the house in disorder, indicating that a struggle had taken place. He instituted a search and found his wife and child in an abandoned well near by. The infant was dead but the woman was still alive and hysterical and could give no account of what had happened. She soon lapsed into unconsciousness and remained so until an hour before her death Monday morning. Bloodhounds were put on the trail of the murderers but without results.

Officers and searchers abandoned the chase Sunday night after dark and are awaiting the arrival of detectives. Coroner C. W. Wright conducted a post-mortem examination Monday morning on the body of the child and found it had been drowned. There will be no post-mortem examination made upon the body of the mother as her physical condition prior to death clearly indicated that death was due directly to acute congestion of the lungs, due to exposure while in the water. Dr. B. F. Patten was first called in the case and remained in attendance until her death. He stated that arteries in her lungs had burst owing to extreme exercise of the lungs while calling for help. The woman was racked in mind and did not utter a responsive sentence for several hours.

At 3 o'clock Monday morning, an hour before her death, when death cramps were gathering, the doctor made an effort to learn from her if possible who committed the crime. She became conscious and replied to all questions intelligently and said: "Some men carried me away through the window," and indicated the window by a look. When the vital question was put to her as to who it was she lapsed into unconsciousness and could not answer. She again came to and weakly drew her husband down and put her arms around his neck. She became unconscious and died without a struggle.

The double funeral will be held from the Friends' church Tuesday at 2 p.m. Both bodies are in the same coffin.

The county commissioners will be asked to appropriate \$1,000 reward for apprehension of the guilty party. It is now thought rape was the motive for the crime and they are working on that line.

Upon the request of William Starbuck, husband and father of the dead woman and child, Haley Gape, 21 years old, was arrested Tuesday night and quietly taken to Newcastle and placed in jail, where he is being held as a suspect, on suspicion of having guilty knowledge of the supposed murder.

During the inquest which was held Monday it was found that there were several bruises on the baby's throat.

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN LEAGUE.

The Convention Will Be Held in Indianapolis October 5-6.

One Hundredth Anniversary of His Death Observed.

New York, July 13.—The 100th anniversary of the death of Alexander Hamilton was observed in this city Tuesday. A brief service was held at his tomb in Trinity churchyard. On the site of the Grange, his country house, on Washington Heights, more formal exercises were held under the auspices of a joint committee representing the Society of the Cincinnati, the Sons of the American Revolution and other patriotic and historical societies. The three surviving generations of the family were represented and several addresses were delivered. On July 12, 1804, just 100 years ago Tuesday, Alexander Hamilton, of New York, died from the effects of a bullet wound inflicted by Aaron Burr in a duel fought the day before.

G. S. VARDEN, Druggist.

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The great remedy for nervous prostration and all diseases of the generative organs of either sex, such as Nervous Prostration, Falling or Lost Manhood, Impotency, Nightly Emissions, Youthful Errors, Mental Worry, excessive use of Tobacco or Opium, which lead to Consumption and Insanity. With every order we guarantee to cure or refund the money paid at \$1.00 per box for boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

W. T. BROOKS, Druggist.

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CARL CRAWFORD,

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Piles! Piles! Piles!

Dr. Williams' Indian Pipe Ointment is prepared to cure Piles and DOES IT in short order. Easy to apply, every box guaranteed, 50c and \$1.00. All druggists or by mail.

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(May 1st)

## HIS CAREER ENDED.

Golden Rule Jones, Mayor of Toledo, Passes Away.

Toledo, O., July 13.—Samuel M. Jones, "The Golden Rule Mayor," died at his home Tuesday evening as the result of a complication of diseases. The immediate cause of his death was an abscess on his lungs. When this abscess broke the mayor was not strong enough to throw off the poison from his system and death resulted. The mayor had suffered for years from asthma and this was the primary cause of his fatal illness. The death of Mayor Jones has caused the greatest sorrow all over the city. Although many did not believe in his ideas on sociological problems, everybody loved and respected him. His one great stronghold with the people of Toledo was his honesty.

The mayor was taken ill two weeks ago last Thursday and for the last 48 hours previous to his death, was in a comatose condition. He did not regain consciousness during that time. All the members of his family were at his bedside at the time of his death. He leaves a widow and three sons, Percy, Paul and Mason Jones. He will be succeeded as mayor by Robert Finch, president of the city council.

The remains of Mayor Jones will lie in state at Memorial hall on Thursday and Friday until noon and the funeral services will be held at the residence on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The remains will rest on the veranda and the addresses will be made from the veranda. The lawns will be open to all. The pallbearers will be selected from his employees.

Samuel Milton Jones, known all over America as "Golden Rule" Jones, was born in Wales in 1846. His parents came to America and settled in New York state when Mr. Jones was but three years old. Up to the time Mr. Jones was 16 years old he worked at anything he could find to do, during the summer, and attended school each winter for a few months.

In the spring of 1897 came his first introduction to political life. The republican party was split into three factions each with a candidate for mayor. At the convention two factions saw the necessity of uniting to prevent the third from winning out and Mr. Jones was selected as the man on whom both could unite, who would be strong enough with the church people and popular with the workingmen. After a struggle in the convention Mr. Jones secured the nomination and was elected by a small plurality. His administration of the office, while honest and efficient, did not suit the different factions in the republican party, however, and when his term expired he was refused a renomination. Mr. Jones then appealed to the people as an independent candidate. In the election that followed he carried every precinct in the city but one and polled 70 per cent. of the entire vote cast. He was renominated by petition in 1901, the democratic party leaving the place of mayor blank in his favor, and he was elected for a third term by a handsome plurality. In 1903 he was again renominated by petition and with both a republican and a democratic candidate against him was elected again mayor of Toledo.

By the terms of the election bill passed by the Ohio legislature last winter his term of office was extended until January, 1906.

In 1899 Mayor Jones was nominated for governor by petition as a non-partisan and polled over 100,000 votes, carrying the cities of Toledo and Cleveland by large pluralities.

ALEXANDER HAMILTON.

New York, July 13.—The 100th anniversary of the death of Alexander Hamilton was observed in this city Tuesday. A brief service was held at his tomb in Trinity churchyard. On the site of the Grange, his country house, on Washington Heights, more formal exercises were held under the auspices of a joint committee representing the Society of the Cincinnati, the Sons of the American Revolution and other patriotic and historical societies. The three surviving generations of the family were represented and several addresses were delivered. On July 12, 1804, just 100 years ago Tuesday, Alexander Hamilton, of New York, died from the effects of a bullet wound inflicted by Aaron Burr in a duel fought the day before.

Coining Mexican Dollars.

Mexico City, July 13.—It is believed that with its new machinery the mint will be capable of coining dollars fast enough for the demand which has been increased by heavy shipments to Japan and the far east.

Forty-Two Buildings Burned.

Wilmington, Del., July 13.—Fire Tuesday night destroyed 42 buildings in the business and residence section of Millington, Md., causing a loss of about \$200,000, partly insured. Not a store remains in the town.

Preparing For the Campaign.

Elkins, W. Va., July 13.—Henry G. Davis, democratic candidate for vice president, still refuses to give any interviews. Since Sunday he has been working almost continuously clearing up his business affairs for the campaign.

Changes Its Politics.

Chicago, July 12.—An innovation in the form of lunch counter cars has been adopted by the Pere Marquette road on its resort trains. General Passenger Agent Moeller, who conceived the idea, has received the warm thanks of his patrons.

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Speak in Praise of Ex-Senator Davis.

Mexico City, Mex., July 13.—The Mexican papers all speak in praise of ex-Senator Davis, the democratic candidate for vice president, who was a member of the Pan-American congress in session here.

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Only First-Class Barbers Employed.

Piles! Piles! Piles!

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The chocolates I sell you for 40 cents per pound cannot be any better.

If you pay 60 or 80 cents you are paying for the fancy packing, of course I have candy we sell for 60 cents per pound and it is strictly fancy and fine, but I want to have every lover of good candy to try my 40 cent creams, always strictly fresh.

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A nice brick cottage. Apply to  
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## Men's Two-Piece Suits.

We are showing a complete line of two-piece suits. All of the desirable fabrics are here, and the coats are made so as to hold their shape. The prices range from \$7.50 to \$18.00 but we would like for you to look at the Suit we have marked at \$10.00. We are sure it will please you.

### MENS STRAW HATS.

Straw Hat season is now and we are ready for it; are you? The same rule applies to our Straw Hats that does to the Felt. We fit not only your head but your face. All the wanted style.....\$1.00 UP.



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Bicycles, Sundries, Repairs.

PAPER HANGING.—Call on me for an estimate on Linerust Walton and Burlap wall hanging. CHAS. COOLEY, 514 and 516 Main Street.

### Domestic Troubles.

It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in Stomach and Liver troubles. They not only relieve you, but cure, 25c, at Oberdorfer's drug store.

SAY!—Talk to T. Porter Smith about the insurance. (18ov-tf)

SUGAR CANE.—For milk cows and stock of all kinds, there is nothing better than Sugar Cane. One acre of it will go as far as three of corn. For pure Early Amber seed go to STUART & WOODFORD'S.

### DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT.  
ALTON B. PARKER.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT.  
HENRY G. DAVIS.

FOR CONGRESS—  
HON. SOUTH TRIMBLE,  
of Franklin County.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce Claude M. Thomas, of Paris, as a candidate for Judge of Bourbon County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Denis Dundon as a candidate for Judge of Bourbon county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

JUDGE PARKER attended the little Episcopal Mission Church, of which he is a vestryman and member, as usual last Sunday, assisting in the singing and passing the contribution box as he has done for years. Ex-Senator Davis, the Vice-Presidential nominee is also a churchman, and worships in the handsome edifice which he built and presented to the Presbyterians of his home town, Elkins, West Virginia.

DISCOUNT.—Forty per cent. discount on Men's Straw Hats at Price & Co's.

### MILLERSBURG.

Mr. Ora Long has returned from College at Harvard.

Mrs. T. M. Purnell and F. A. Jones are quite ill from flux.

Miss Georgie Letton is visiting relatives at Jacksonville, Ill.

Miss Lillian Layson left Tuesday for a visit to Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McClintock went to Cincinnati, Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Patterson is visiting Miss Dora Swango, at Mt. Sterling.

Buyers are offering 87c for wheat, but farmers are all holding for raise.

Clarence Miller has bought the Wm. Wadkins place adjoining his farm.

Miss Luella Payne, of Scott county, is guest of her aunt, Mrs. G. S. Allen.

Mrs. Harry Fortesier, of Chicago, is guest of her brother, J. G. Smedley.

Mrs. W. A. Morrison, of Maysville, is guest of Dr. F. A. Herbert and wife.

Best grade of Paris Green, at C. W. HOWARD.

Miss Nancy Whaley has gone to St. Louis to visit her sister, Mrs. Robert Miller.

Mrs. T. P. Wadell and daughter, Agnes, went to Bardstown, Thursday, to visit parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Boswell, guests of Levi Trotter, returned to Jackson, Wednesday.

A few water coolers left. Come and get a bargain. C. W. HOWARD.

Miss Mary L. Boulden returned Tuesday from house party of the Misses Cleveland, at Cythiana.

Bear in mind your account is past due, since July 1. I need money. C. W. HOWARD.

Mrs. Nina Aikin and daughter, Miss Mimie, of Lexington, are guests of Mrs. America Butler and family.

Dr. Hamlet Garland accompanied by his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Leer, returned to Vanceburg, Tuesday.

FOR RENT.—House of 5 rooms, good stable, hen house, chicken yard, garden. T. M. PURNELL.

Mrs. C. W. Howard and Geo. W. McIntyre attended the funeral of Miss Mary Hood, at Nepton, Tuesday.

Our entire line of jardinières closing out at cost or less. Only 3 dozen left. C. W. HOWARD.

We are in the market to buy wheat for ourselves and will pay the highest price. STEWART & COLLIER.

Misses Mattie and Lilly Levell, of Danville, and Miss Mattie Nichols, of Lexington, are guests of Miss Julia Miller.

Miss Rebecca Martin, who taught in Lexington last year, is spending the summer with her brothers, Chas. and Ed. Martin.

Mr. Jack Woods, of Paris, with about 20 hands, is at the Clarence Miller quarry with the county rock crusher and repairing the roads.

Mrs. C. H. Cooper, of Maysville, and Mr. John Harris, of Germantown, are here to see their sister, Mrs. Robt. Caldwell, who is very ill.

Mrs. Ann Osborne and daughter, Mrs. John Spears and daughter, Miss Bessie, and two sons, of Kansas City, Mo., are guests of Mrs. Lou Conway and other relatives here.

STEAM BAILER.—Am prepared to bail your hay or straw. Have an Ohio of 35 tons per day, and can do your work right and as cheap as anyone. RUSSELL MITCHELL.

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Hyomei, the Guaranteed Catarrh Cure, Prescribed by Physicians.

No one should confound Hyomei with patent medicines that are advertised to cure catarrh. It is as far superior to them all as the diamond is more valuable than cheap glass. Their composition is secret, but Hyomei gives its formula to all reputable physicians.

Is it not foolish to try and cure catarrh by swallowing tablets or liquids? The only natural way to cure this disease and other diseases of the respiratory organs is to breathe Hyomei.

This treatment has been so successful, curing 99 per cent. of all who have used it, that Hyomei is sold under an absolute guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure. You run no risk whatever in buying Hyomei. If it did not possess unusual powers to cure, it could not be sold upon this plan.

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## THE BOURBON NEWS.

SWIFT CHAMP, - EDITOR AND OWNER.

## Wheat Wanted.

Before selling your wheat, see us or call phone No. 84. We will buy at all stations on F. & C. and L. & N. railroads. Will pay the highest market price, or will store your wheat at Centerville, Shawhan, Millersburg or Paris. Have plenty of sacks.

R. B. HUTCHCRAFT.

In this issue of the NEWS we announce Claude M. Thomas as a candidate for Judge of Bourbon county. Mr. Thomas has represented his county in the Legislature and the United States as Consul at Marseilles, France, with honor to himself and his constituents. He ranks high as a lawyer and the county's interest would be well cared for in his hands.

FOR RENT.—Rooms furnished or unfurnished. Fine location and central. Apply at this office.

NEW DEPUTY SHERIFF.—Mr. Windsor Letton has been sworn in as a deputy sheriff. Bourbon now has four deputy sheriffs.

DROPPED DEAD.—Alex. Haggard, a well-known colored man of this city, dropped dead at his home in Lylesville Monday night.

WHEAT WANTED.—Will pay the highest cash market price for wheat.

E. F. SPEARS &amp; SONS.

GROCERY SOLD.—J. Harrison Davis has sold his stock of groceries for \$1,000. Mr. Davis has accepted a position to travel for a large wholesale house.

MELONS ON ICE.—Cantalopes and Watermelons on ice at C. P. Cook & Co.'s. 11-2t

HEBURNIAN PICNIC.—The Ancient Order of Hibernians will give a big picnic on August 11th. An interesting program is being arranged. Full particulars in next issue.

ELECTRIC LIGHT GLOBES.—We sell the best electric light globes.

2t BAIRD &amp; TAYLOR.

HAND BLOWN OFF.—The hand of Wm. McGilaway, of the firm of McGilaway & Heck Manufacturing Co., of Mt. Sterling, was blown off at the wrist by the explosion of a dynamite cap. His condition is critical.

CURTAINS.—Wholesale prices in Lace Curtains, Laces, Embroideries and every kind of White Goods.

HARRY SIMON.

LIFE TOO BURDENOME.—Mrs. Jennie Davis Foster, of Lexington, disappeared from her home Monday, and Tuesday morning her body was found floating in an old pond. She said life ills were too burdensome for her to bear.

MUSLINS.—Stop and look at Harry Simon's window and get the low prices on their beautiful line of Muslin Underwear.

HAVING A GOOD TIME.—In order to win a \$500 wager J. A. Owens, of Atlanta, Ga., who is walking and pushing a wheelbarrow from Atlanta to St. Louis passed through Henderson, Ky., on his way to St. Louis. He left Atlanta June 20 and expects to reach St. Louis July 20.

BARGAINS.—Boys' Knee Pants Suits worth \$5 and \$6 reduced to \$4 at Price & Co's.

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QUARRELED OVER CARDS.—At Lexington Ky., James Doyle was shot and instantly killed by Henry Thompson, 19, in a card room of a saloon Monday night. Doyle was a Spanish war veteran and wrote humorous articles for the papers. Thomas was a pressman at the Democrat office. A quarrel arose over a card game in which Doyle insinuated that Thompson was cheating and struck Thompson. Thompson left and returned with a pistol. He fired two shots. Doyle died instantly.

BAVARIAN BEER.—Bavarian Export Beer at only 5 cents per bottle, recommended for medical purposes. VanHook Whisky at \$2.00 per gallon.

FRANK SALOSHIN.

Another Fine Bunch.

H. Margolen, the Main Street butcher, has secured another nice bunch of home raised cattle. He has purchased of Cas Goff twenty-two head of 1,300-lb. beef cattle that can't be beat. They were corn fed all winter. By handling nothing but this class of beef Mr. Margolen has built up an immense trade. You will find only the best that can be found at his shop.

A Big Wheat Yield.

Jos. A. Wilson, of this city, put in 30 acres of Northern wheat and it yielded him 32 bushels to the acre, no smut or weeds in it. He put in ten acres of the same wheat last year and it yielded 35 bushels to the acre. He also had 70 acres of Kentucky wheat this season which yielded 20 bushels. He will sell his crop at \$1.00 per bushel.

TIRE SETTING.—Our tire setting machine can set tires cold as well as hot. If you want a cheap job we can do it.

E. J. MCKIMMEEY &amp; SON.

A Colossal Tax Suit.

In the County Court at Louisville, the Auditor's Agent of Jefferson county, himself a lawyer, has, through his Attorney, Hon. Allan D. Cole, brought suit to assess the franchise of the Illinois Central Railroad Company as a Kentucky corporation, the contention being made that compliance, in 1893, with Section 841 Kentucky Statutes created a new and distinct corporation for the purposes of taxation.

The capital stock of the company is \$95,000,000; it has 5,468 miles of road and its yearly gross earning are \$45,296,076.

The amount of taxes sought to be recovered by the Commonwealth \$3,000,000.

Wheat Sacks.

Plenty of wheat sacks. Will pay highest cash price for wheat. Can unload your wagon with ease and quickness on our elevator. Call 84 both phones for prices.

R. B. HUTCHCRAFT.

## A NICE STATE OF AFFAIRS.

Contractors Serve Notice on the Building Committee of New Court House.

THE BOURBON NEWS always on the alert to furnish the tax-payers of Bourbon county everything it can find out in regard to the building of the new Court House, on yesterday afternoon, about 4 o'clock, came into the possession of a fac simile notice that was served on the building committee in charge of the construction of the handsome building. It was handed to the chairman of the committee about noon yesterday, and it shows a nice state of affairs. We give it below verbatim:

PARIS, Ky., July 14, 1904.

To the Building Committee of Bourbon County, Mr. J. Wm. Thomas, Jr., Chairman:

DEAR SIR:—Your attention has been called a number of times from the beginning of the foundation of your new Court House to the present time, that the supports of the girders that support the roof and tower at the North end of the building, at the Bank Row side, is not sufficient to carry the load that they are designed to carry, and our Mr. Gibson has talked to you a number of times on this subject and we have now arrived at the danger line. We have taken upon ourselves to have two eminent gentlemen of wide experience to examine these piers and girders, and they concur in the belief that if not re-inforced that that end of the building will fall to the ground and carry the tower with it. This part of the building is constructed according to your plans and specifications, with some additional bond stones placed there to distribute the weight and strengthen the piers, which you are familiar with, we find this not sufficient and we now notify you, that these piers must be protected, and as we have compiled with our contract and you having failed to take action, or even notice of these weak places, we now serve you with this notice, calling your attention to the imminent danger that now exists and informing you that the responsibility of the preservation of this part of the building and damage and danger to life and body rest with you. And we insist upon you having it examined and taking care of as it should be done.

We also wish to call your attention to the defection of the big girders that span the court room, and will add that we have already said that they are not sufficient to carry the load that will be placed upon them. This is a matter that will require your immediate attention, and we hope that you will lose no time in looking after and taking care of these defects as set out in this notice, for our responsibility ceases when this notice is handed to you.

Very Respectfully Yours,  
GIBSON & CRAWFORD.  
Dict. G. E. G.

NOTICE.—Dr. Bowen, the optician, will be at A. J. Winters & Co's on July 14, Examination free.

HOT PEANUTS.—Fresh roasted peanuts every day at J. E. Craven's.

The Old, Old Story.

We have been informed by one of our leading merchants that his wife and a large number of other ladies of our city were bunched in good style. A man representing himself to be an agent for the Ladies Home Journal called on them and agreed to send them the Journal for three months for ten cents—the dime of course being paid him in advance. He did a thriving business among the ladies, but we have yet to hear of one of them receiving the paper. He was no doubt a fakir, pure and simple, and is now enjoying the contributions of the dear unsuspecting women.

SUITS.—Men's Suits worth \$14, \$15 and \$16.50 your choice now at \$11.50 at Price & Co's.

FOR SALE.—Runabout in good condition and set of harness. Inquire at this office.

Benefit of Confederate Home.

The Henrietta Hunt Morgan Chapter of the W. D. C. of Newport, Ky., assisted by the Stonewall Jackson Chapter of Cincinnati, will give Old Kentucky dinners and suppers during the week of the Elks re-union in Cincinnati, beginning the 18th of July. The Emery Hotel Cafe has been engaged, it is centrally located and only one square from the Elks headquarters. The ladies hope for their share of patronage, especially from the Southern Elks, as the proceeds go to the Confederate Veterans Home near Louisville, Ky.

VEGETABLES.—All kinds of vegetables received daily.

BAIRD & TAYLOR.

EXCURSION.—Natural Bridge and return \$1.50, July 17. Leave Paris 10:10 a.m.

An Exciting Tennis Game.

A match game of Tennis on Tuesday afternoon at the Tennis Club's Court, between Mr. Oakford Hinton and Miss Kate Alexander, on one side, and Mr. Graham Edgar and Miss Kate Ingels on the other, proved to be one of the most interesting and exciting games ever played in our city. The match was won by the latter couple, Mr. Edgar and Miss Ingels, the score being 3 to 5. It was said by those present who thoroughly understand the game that the playing of Miss Kate Alexander would have done credit to a professional.

PEACHES.—We are receiving Joe Gilmer's peaches daily.

BAIRD & TAYLOR.

A Genuine Nuisance.

On Fifth street, there are two mud puddles that are certainly a great nuisance to ladies that are compelled to pass them. One is almost in front of the postoffice, at the telephone pole, where there is somebody's horse hitched from morning until night, although there is a sign on the pole, "Don't Hitch Here." The other is at the telephone pole between Main and Pleasant, which is used as a public hitching post, as is another telephone pole on opposite side of street. It is a daily occurrence that some lady's dress is covered with the filth and slime from these places.

We are under the impression that there is a city ordinance against hitching your horse to a telephone pole. If there is not, one should be passed at the next meeting of the council. We invite the city officials to take a look at these places.

R. B. HUTCHCRAFT.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Addie Harrison has returned from a visit to friends in Covington.

Chas. A. Kenney has returned from Swango Springs not much improved.

Mrs. W. C. Ussery will entertain the Pastime Euchre Club this afternoon.

Henry A. Power, wife and daughters, have returned from the World's Fair.

Miss Bailey Berry, of Cynthiana, is guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Davis.

Miss Josephine Hayden is home from a visit to friends at Peeewe Valley.

Mrs. Mollie DeHaven, of Mt. Sterling, is visiting Mrs. Garrett Kenney.

Mrs. Carrie, R. Davis, of Fort Scott, Kas., is guest of Mrs. J. J. McClintock.

Miss Nannie Wilson leaves Sunday to visit Miss Ann Lee Washington, at Newport.

Misses Julia Howard and Bessie Lowry are in St. Louis attending the Fair.

Mrs. Edward Ditchen, of Covington, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. S. M. Wilmoth.

Miss Annie Hennessey returns Sunday from a two-weeks' visit to relatives in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Bessie Rogers and sister, Miss Milda McMillan, go to Cincinnati tomorrow for a visit to friends.

Mrs. Jennie Kenney Lyle returned home yesterday from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Sue Sandusky, at Millersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hinton, Jr., entertained Monday night at cards, in honor of Miss Louise Armstrong, of Cincinnati.

Mrs. James Clark is visiting at Danville, and her daughter, Miss Nellie Hawkins, is guest of friends at Anderson, Ind.

Miss Mary Varden gave a boating party in honor of her guest, Miss Louise Armstrong, of Cincinnati, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Caswell Prewitt, of Montgomery, who has been the guest of her brother, Garrett Kenney, has returned home.

Miss Hogeboom, lady principal of Ashland Seminary at Versailles, has been in Paris several days in the interest of her school.

Attorney C. Arnsperger, who has been confined to his room for a week, was able to drive down to his office for a short time yesterday.

Sam Neely has telephoned his brother, R. J. Neely, from Honolulu, that he and his wife are on their way home from China.

Frank Brock and other horsemen from Scott county, were in the city yesterday enroute to the Kirksville Fair, in Madison county.

Mrs. Sidney G. Clay is quite ill at Delmar, N. J., where she is visiting Mrs. Rose. Mr. Clay was telephoned for and is now with her.

Mrs. C. A. Daugherty and daughters, Misses Helen and Annie, will leave Tuesday for a visit to Mrs. Daugherty's sister, Mrs. Sparks, at Marshal, Mo.

The following couples spent Sunday at Blue Lick Springs: John Yerkes and Miss Milda McMillan, Edwin Sweeney and Miss Ollie Butler, Clarence Kenney and Miss Emily Barnes.

Mrs. Newton Mitchell, of this city, and her sister, Mrs. Wilmore Garrard, of Woodford, accompanied by Joe Mitchell, Newt, Gay and Will Kenney Ferguson, left yesterday for the St. Louis Fair.

Mrs. Anne Thompson, Miss Fannie Shropshire and little Frankie Thompson, of Georgetown, are visiting at the home of Mr. John W. Allison, near Centerville.

Dr. F. L. Lapsley, Dr. C. G. Daugerty, and Dr. Anderson were in attendance at Kentucky Midland Medical Society at Lexington yesterday. Dr. W. G. Dailey and Dr. Bruce Smith, of Millersburg, were also present.

Wheat Wanted.

See C. F. Didlake, at G. G. White's warehouse, in East Paris, or D. W. Peed.

Will pay highest cash price for wheat.

Stored at reasonable terms for any length of time.

DO NOT FORGET.—When in Lexington don't forget Reed Hotel, Hart Bros., Props., rates \$2 to \$2.50 per day. Im.

Paris Elks Ready for the Fray.

On next Wednesday morning, sixty-five Paris Elks will leave on the 5:30 train for Cincinnati to attend the great re-union.

Upon their arrival they will proceed to 411 East Fourth street, headquarters for the Paris lodge while in the city, where they will don their uniforms of white duck trousers, white shirt, purple necktie and belt, white cap with purple band and white umbrellas. Then with the only Elks Band in the world at their head will march to the place where they will join the ranks for the big parade. There will be eighteen pieces in the band and they expect to carry off the prize for the best band, provided it is to be given for the best sure enough Elks band.

COALS.—We handle the best of Jellico, Kentucky and Blue Gem coals.

STUART & WOODFORD.

Well-Known Preacher Dies.

The Rev. George Darsie, pastor of the Christian church in Frankfort for a quarter of a century, died in Chicago, Tuesday, while under the influence of an anaesthetic administered for the purpose of performing an operation. Mr. Darsie was a brother of Rev. Lloyd Darsie, recently pastor of the Christian church in this city. He was a native of Ohio, and came of a family of distinguished ministers. He was one of the best known ministers of the Christian church in Kentucky, or we might say this country.

His remains were met at Shelbyville by the officers of his church and accompanied to Frankfort and were escorted to his late residence by a large number of friends, including all of the pastors of Frankfort.

At Court.—Don't put off buying any longer. Harry Simon is selling his entire stock of Summer Goods at cost.

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By DOROTHY E. LEONARD

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THE front gate fell to with a clang and Martha Moore turned her head and looked out of the window. "Sakes alive, ma! If there ain't Mis' Peabody coming up the walk, and it's most five o'clock."

Mrs. Moore peered out furtively behind the curtain, then walked heavily into the entry and opened the door.

"Well, Louise Peabody, if this ain't an unexpected pleasure!" cried Mrs. Moore, in her deep voice, as her visitor rolled up the steps. "Dear me! You are all of a tremble. Nothing hasn't happened, has it?" the smile fading from her face, as she took the hand, thin hand extended to her.

"Oh, no! I guess I hurried so," panted the little woman. "The air's so bracing to-day, I felt as if I couldn't go slow. It's the ozone in it, so Fanny says," she added, as she followed her hostess into the sitting room.

Martha turned around and nodded cordially, but did not rise. "I guess you'll excuse me under the circumstances," laughed she, "my lap's pretty full."

Mrs. Peabody laid aside her wraps and sank into the nearest chair, her heart beating like a trip hammer. The table was covered with a profusion of dainty materials and half-finished garments; and, from where she sat, she could see that the work over which the girl was bending was of an elaborate description. She was sure now that the report she had heard that morning was true, and that Martha was going to be married to Harry Summers. As she thought of it, and of Harry's attentions to her own daughter Fanny, during the past year, her brain seemed to whirl. At last she was conscious that Mrs. Moore was addressing her.

"You didn't hear me, Mis' Peabody. Don't you want to see all we've got done?"

"Here take this seat by the window," said Martha, rising, "you can't see well over there."

By a great effort she mastered her feelings and, sitting down by the window, silently examined the articles shown to her.

"Why this is real lace, Marthy," she said at last, in genuine surprise.

"Yes, there's to be a whole set trimmed with that pattern," put in the mother, proudly, "but yet I do think crochet is prettier and washes better, too. Marthy does do crochet wonderful!"

"So does Fanny!" said Mrs. Peabody flushing suddenly.

"Dear Fan!" said Martha, "tell her to come over Saturday and see my things. Wait, ma! don't show her the veil till I light the lamp. The light's all gone."

The veil would have seemed pretty to far more critical eyes than Mrs. Peabody's, but to the poor woman, overwhelmed with the petty cares of a poverty stricken life, it was a vision of beauty. It was impossible to imagine it on Martha's head; and Fanny's delicate beauty rose persistently before her eyes until Mrs. Moore broke the silence.

"Mr. Moore and I ain't never goin' to tell what we paid for that veil. Even Martha don't know."

"It used to be considered awful bad luck to show the wedding clothes," answered her guest, struggling in vain to suppress the jealousy which surged in her heart.

"Oh, we've got beyond such nonsense now," laughed Martha, as she began gathering up her treasures. Her plain, coarse face was flushed and triumphant. Mrs. Peabody could not endure to look at her. "I just know how she tried to get him from Fanny!" the poor woman thought to herself, "she who has everything in the world she wants, too."

At last it began to dawn on Mrs. Moore that her visitor was very silent and possibly bored.

"Ara Mr. Peabody and the boys well?" she asked.

"Yes."

"And Fanny? We hear she's goin' to have the school next year, too."

"Oh, that's fine for her," said Martha carelessly.

Mrs. Peabody's heart beat fast, her brain was on fire. "I guess Fanny'll be havin' something else to do then beside teaching!" she said suggestively. "Why, Louise, you don't say!" ejaculated Mrs. Moore.

"Do you mean she's keeping company?" asked Martha, peering shrewdly into the poor woman's face.

"Yes!" and for the first time in her life Mrs. Peabody had told a lie.

"I don't believe it!" cried the girl rudely.

"Marthy!" said her mother, reprovingly.

"Well, it's awful queer nobody's heard anything about it!"

Mrs. Peabody returned no answer. She fingered the veil absently for a few minutes, then rose and walked slowly to the door. "Well, good-night, I guess I'd better be goin'," said she, and stepped out bareheaded into the darkness. Martha ran after her and laid a restraining hand on her arm. "You'll catch your death of cold, Mis' Peabody! Don't mind what I said. Come back and get your things on, and pa'll drive you home."

"I don't see what took her so," said the girl after they had helped her, running back into the wagon, and gone back to the house.

"Oh, I guess it was the heat o' the room after walking so fast," returned her mother placidly, "but you did speak up mighty loud and sassy to her, Marthy, and mebbe that turned her head."

Poor Louise Peabody leaned back in the wagon beside Mr. Moore in silent despair. Above the certainty that Harry had deserted her own dear daughter, above her belief in Martha's perfidy, loomed the lie in all its hideousness. Mr. Moore's jokes in regard to the approaching nuptials, and his information that Harry Summers had bought out his uncle's grocery business and would settle down near them, fell upon unheeding ears. She roused at last to the consciousness that he was helping her out of the wagon, and, after a hasty good-night, with burning cheeks and a heart like lead Mrs. Peabody entered her home.

As the weeks passed by it was surprising to see how well Fanny bore up under Martha's engagement. In spite of the extra work of the spring term she was blooming, and fairly cheerful. She never mentioned Harry, nor did he come to the house; but as the days lengthened she would often go off alone for a ramble in the pine woods for an hour or two after school, coming back laden with violets, ferns and specimens of wild flowers, which she said were for her class in botany.

School closed on the 10th of June and the 11th was the day set for Martha's wedding. Mrs. Peabody had not intended to go, but Fanny insisted upon it. "It will look so queer if neither of us go, ma," she urged. "and as school only closed yesterday I don't feel like it. One of the boys can drive you over, and you must wear my muslin with the lavender stripes. It fits you all right, and you'll look fine in it." So the poor mother allowed herself to be persuaded and donned the dainty muslin, but a cold east wind having arisen, she threw her old black silk mantilla over her shoulders for the drive.

As Mrs. Peabody entered the house her last visit there came vividly before her mind; and, forgetting to lay aside her wrap, she hurried nervously into the parlor. The folding doors between the parlor and sitting room were thrown wide open, and both rooms were profusely decorated with June roses and branches of the fragrant syringa. A number of the guests had already arrived, and a cheerful buzz of conversation greeted her ears as she sank timidly upon the sofa beside the minister's wife.

The clock struck four and all eyes were turned expectantly toward the hall door—but there was no sign of the bridal party. Mrs. Peabody could hardly keep the tears back as she thought of Fanny; but she clinched her hands under the old mantilla and nervously herself to bear the worst. The clock ticked on loudly, but no one spoke. At last a sudden ring at the door startled them. Steps came heavily down the hall, and the door was opened.

"It's a boy with a note!" exclaimed a young girl who sat near the door. The guests could endure the suspense no longer, but began to converse excitedly in loud whispers. Suddenly a swish of silken skirts was heard on the stairs, and a tall, white-veiled figure entered the room. All of the women trembled, and one screamed. Martha Moore threw back her veil and looked proudly around the room. Her large, plain face was almost as white as her bridal gown, but she held her head up and eyed her guests defiantly.

"Will you please to walk out and have some refreshments?" said she. "There ain't going to be any wedding this afternoon, but I guess you'll find the cake just as good."

As she turned to lead the way to the dining room her eye fell upon Mrs. Peabody. Instantly her whole manner changed. Her tall figure grew rigid, her eyes dilated, and stretching out one hand toward her she screamed, "Oh, you wicked, deceitful woman! How dare you to come here this afternoon? You've known this all along!"

Mrs. Peabody trembled, and clung to the friendly hand of the minister's wife. Her breath came in quick, frightened gasps. The minister stepped forward and laid his hand on Martha's arm.

"Miss Martha," he said, kindly but firmly, "you forget yourself!" She shook him off impatiently. The tears were now streaming down her cheeks, but she did not heed them. "Here Fanny Peabody's been a plotting all along to run off with my young man the day of my wedding, just to shame me because I tried to get him away from her—just as if I hadn't a right! And then to send me a note and tell me they are leaving for Boston on the 2:45 train! I'll show 'em I don't care!" Her voice rose to a scream.

"Oh, Marthy! Marthy! Don't go on so!" sobbed her mother, pushing her way through the crowd to her daughter's side—but Martha hedged her not.

"And then for that deceitful old woman to dare to come here this afternoon!" she cried, almost pathetically, "when she's been in the plot all along, and had the cheek to tell me Fanny was keeping company!"

Mrs. Peabody started forward from her seat, "Oh, it wasn't a lie! It wasn't a lie!" she cried. "I told 'em when I come out here 'most three months ago, that Fanny was keeping company, because I was so jealous that Martha'd got Harry away from her. But I didn't know it was true. I thought it was a lie, and it seemed as if it would 'most kill me!' her face was radiant through her tears.

Martha turned coldly from her, and, controlling herself by great effort again invited her guests to come out and partake of the wedding cake. She led the way, and the guests followed her one by one until Mrs. Peabody and the minister were left alone.

"I think you and I are not needed here to-night, Mrs. Peabody," said he, kindly, "you had better let me drive you home." And taking her hand he led her from the room, and helped her still trembling, but happy and relieved, into the carriage.

"Oh, I guess it was the heat o' the

## The Pretty Summer Fabrics

**T**HIS fashion of piping, gauging and ruching is splendidly adapted to thin summer fabrics and more especially to muslins. Nothing was more unsightly than the serpent-like skirt of some few seasons ago in muslin. A great many people looked extremely well in these tight draperies, but they certainly require to be arranged in more substantial material

chiffon. The elbow sleeves are finished with ruchings and plaitings. This is to be worn with an enormous picture hat of leghorn, the only trimming on which will be a band of black velvet and two huge cabbage roses with their own foliage.

A touch of black will also be introduced in the parasol, which is of gauged black chiffon lined with palest pink.

Such a frock as this would be charming at London's big garden party.

A lovely example of the painted muslin gown is in pale pink, with a pompadour design of rings of deep red roses and foliage painted thereon. The frock appears to be cut all in one, and is gauged from several inches above the waist to about three inches below it. The hip pieces are cut open and inserted with tiny tucks or box plait, which give the necessary amount of fulness to the long skirt, which is finished with two enormously thick ruches of taffeta changeante taking in various shades of pink and green. Some smaller ruches of the same fabric are arranged over the yoke and shoulder to give a pelerine effect, and the elbow sleeves are finished with soft gaugings and frills, worn with long monsquetaine gloves. This is surmounted by a hat of white chip, with an inner brim of black straw, giving a be-

DAINTY MORNING GOWN IN CHECK VOILE STRAPPED WITH WHITE CANVAS.



than muslin. The effect at some of the big gatherings was not only deplorable, but often ludicrous.

Very different are our modes of today, and the quaint old delaines and patterned muslins are delightful made up with pipings, ruchings and plaitings, the full gauged skirt hanging in graceful folds from waist to feet, the pouching bodice, the elbow sleeves and long shoulder, surmounted by the simple picture hat. Look, too, at the hundred-and-one dainty little accessories you can add to your muslin frock!

I will tell you of some quaint and simple muslin gowns suitable for the debutante's wear. One is in cream pin-spotted muslin, the skirt of which is gauged in at the waist and then inserted with plaited muslin edged on either side with tiny ruchings of blue bebe ribbon.

These insertions become fuller and wider as they near the feet, finishing at last in a mass of billowy frills; as the wearer lifts her frock one catches glimpses of much-belloufined blue glace petticoat. The bodice fastens at the back, and is adorned with a scroll pattern of plaited muslin edged with the bebe ribbon ruching; above this is a deep yoke shaped empacement of purest white dentelle Irlandaise, lined only with

ELLEN OSMONDE.

A CHARMING TOILETTE IN WHITE GLACE OR TAFFETA.



coming shade to the face, and trimmed with single white rose and narrow strings of black velvet hanging down at the back. The simplicity of this toilette is very striking and shows what lovely effects can be arrived at with hand-painted muslins.

HOME HAT FOR SUMMER.

## SOME FANCIES IN WOOD.

Artistic Articles Intended for Ornament as Well as Utility in the Home.

As a souvenir for a wooden wedding anniversary a salt cellar of wood with pyrographic decoration is novel and acceptable.

Wood nutcrackers, the handles carved in fanciful imitation of fruits, birds and animals, are utilized for wooden wedding gifts, says the Brooklyn Eagle.

The latest in souvenirs for wooden weddings is a wooden shoe, or, preferably, a pair of them. As a matter of fact, wooden shoes are acceptable gifts for den or bachelor apartment decorations at any time, and are used as whisk-broom holders.

They are ornamented with pyrographic work, and their air of solidity appeals to the masculine sense of fitness.

Whisk-brooms or flat-backed clothes brushes slip easily into the recess, for large-sized shoes are employed in this way, and such holders are welcome relief from the ribbon-decked contrivances that are more of a success as dust catchers than brush holders.

"Knock down" furniture it is called by the trade. Its most general manifestation is in the form of cranes in various sizes and of weathered oak.

Chains of different lengths depend from the arm of the crane and to these are attached steins, wooden keys and coffee cups and jugs.

"You must have a crane in the Dutch room or the den or on the porch, if you really want to be up to date," says a woman who knows.

When it is inconvenient to have the crane arm projecting it can be a simple process of manipulation to take it down altogether or swung close to the wall. This explains the designation "knock down."

Mottoes adorn the newest of the cranes. It is the thing nowadays to have a motto somewhere in evidence in the home. Not the old-time "God Bless Our Home," but something on the order of "It's Always Morning Somewhere in the World," "Well, Here's Hoping," "A Health to You," etc.

These mottoes are inscribed on hanging cellettes, on pipe racks and plate racks, as well as on cranes. For the Dutch room is a novelty in the form of book rack of weathered oak, surmounted by a windmill. An appropriate inscription etched with the pyrographic needle decorates one side.

Bluebeard keys the huge wooden door openers are termed, and a motto or phrase appears on some. The wooden shoes are likewise decorated. One pair bears the inscription: "No Steps Backward." Another inscription reads: "Don't Delay."

Plate racks of weathered oak are to be had in four tier effects, with hooks below for cups and pitchers.

A miniature hoghead of oak attached to a wicker framework for convenience in moving from place to place, makes a good water cooler. A faucet is attached to one end and there is the inevitable inscription.

HOME HAT FOR SUMMER.

May Be Fashioned from Materials at Hand and at Small Expense.

An excellent way to utilize a last year's lace collar (the collar which came about to the shoulder-seam) is to use it as a trimming for one of your summer hats, says Woman's Home Companion. With a wreath of flowers and a last year's lace collar the prettiest sort of a hat can be made. Use a frame without much crown, and face it with Shirred or plaited chiffon in some becoming shade.

Gather the neck of the collar until it forms a tiny crown.

Place on the frame, allowing about 1½ inches to hang over. Tack securely, but loosely. Join the back as invisibly as possible. Surround the crown with a wreath of roses, forget-me-nots or any flower preferred, which will add width to the crown. Arrange the leaves to drop as to allow a spray of leaves to droop a trifle over the back of the hat, to conceal the joining of the collar.

Any of the soft sash-ribbons which are so charming this season will make a very dainty crown for a hat. The pompadour ribbons scattered with flowers are the prettiest for this purpose.

The crown may be in the form of a tam-o'-shanter, or the ribbon may be put over a rather high-frame crown and shirred a trifle at the top. The brim may be of lace, or of tulle or chiffon matching the color of the flower seen in the ribbon.

MISTOK THE MOTIVE.

An old man was sitting in the street-car. In the aisle near him stood a young woman. He made a movement to rise as if to give her his seat.

"Never mind, sir," said the young woman, imperatively. "Just keep your seat."

She smiled patronizingly on the old man, who stared and looked dazed.

After two blocks more he again attempted to rise, but the young woman pushed him back, explaining politely:

"I've stood so long now I don't mind it. Please keep your seat."

"I say, young lady," cried the old man, in shrill irritation, "I want to git off! You've made me go half a mile past my street already."—Detroit News.

FRIED VEGETABLE MARROW.

Pare and boil the marrow until tender; drain it thoroughly, and cut into quarters. Take out the seeds, and cut the quarters into smaller pieces. Brush each piece over with beaten egg, and roll in bread crumbs. Fry to a rich brown in plenty of smoking hot fat, drain and dish, season with salt and pepper, and serve very hot.—Good Housekeeping.

NIGERIAN FARE.

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## Good and Bad Methods Employed in Corn Culture

By the Exercise of Care the Crop of the Country Could Be Greatly Increased.

**T**HE object of this article is to present to farmers some suggestions as to the surest and quickest means of increasing the production of corn per acre. The writer feels certain that it is possible within a few years to double the average production of corn per acre in the United States, and to accomplish it without any increase in work or expense. It is not to be understood from this that it is desirable to double the present corn crop, but that it is desirable to produce the same yield on a smaller number of acres and with less labor. If 60 bushels are raised on one acre instead of on two acres, the labor of plowing, harrowing, planting, cultivating and harvesting is greatly reduced. Some farmers produce from year to year an average of more than

he would perceive the economy of growing a soil-enriching, leguminous plant between the corn rows. On the broad prairies of the western states he would learn methods of curtailing expenses by the use of plows, planters, cultivators and corn harvesters, designed so that one man can work a large number of horses and thereby accomplish a maximum of work. With such implements one man can, without help, plant and care for 40 or 60 acres of corn in addition to his other crops. The same methods and implements are suitable for many farms where more tedious and laborious methods are now followed.

While it is true that proper attention to seed selection and methods of cultivation will greatly increase the average production per acre for all land now devoted to corn growing, it is



SOIL WASHING PREVENTED BY TERRACES.

60 bushels per acre, but the average of the entire United States for the past ten years (23½ bushels per acre) shows that many are annually harvesting less than half of this quantity. Since the average crop in the states best adapted to corn growing is but little above the general average of the entire country, it is evident that the average is not lowered to any great extent by the poor crops in sections unsuited to corn growing. Moreover, the yield per acre in the New England states, with their poor soil and short growing season, is greater than in any other part of the country. This clearly indicates the possibility of greatly increasing the yield per acre in the corn belt. This is especially easy of accomplishment in the southern states, where the present average is low and where the growing season is not shortened by frosts.

The most valuable information regarding the growing of corn in any particular section can be obtained from unprejudiced observant corn growers of many years' experience; and the writer wishes to thank the hundreds who have so kindly given him such information. The fact that the experiences of growers in different localities and the reports of experiments from the various state experiment stations do not agree should not lower the estimation of the value of either. Such disagreement follows necessarily from the different soils, altitudes, latitudes and seasons. Conflict-

equally true that the cultivation of corn will never be found profitable on very poor land. Some growers, from force of habit, perhaps, every spring plant corn on land which they know is too poor to produce profitable corn. The plowing and cultivating of poor soil is as expensive as the plowing and cultivating of fertile soil. Corn growing should not be attempted on such land until it is brought into a fertile condition by the growing and plowing under of leguminous crops, the application of manures, etc. In the meantime some of the crops that require less fertility than corn may be grown. It should be remembered that the nature of the corn plant is such that it will not produce grain unless the soil is rich enough to afford a considerable growth of stalk, and that the best yield of ears is not obtained unless the stalks have made a maximum growth. For this reason some other plants will produce small or fair crops on soil too poor to produce corn. A cotton plant adjusts its yield of lint to the fertility of the soil, a small plant producing a small number of bolls containing lint of as good a quality as that from a larger plant bearing many more bolls. A hay crop is also quite regular in proportion to the fertility of the soil. This is not true, however, of corn. When poor soil dwarfs grass to half its normal size, the crop of hay is reduced by about one-half, but when poor soil dwarfs the corn plants to half their normal size it is probable that there

### HARDY QUICK LUNCHERS.

Awful Ammunition with Which Some of Them Bombard Their Insatiable Interiors.

The manager of the quick-lunch palace shuddered, although the day was hot, and bestowed a gaze of mingled wonder and reproach upon the broad back of the man who had just picked up a number of dishes of food from the counter and was weaving his way through the crowd with them skillfully balanced in his two hands like a vaudeville juggler picking his way across a stage filled with tossed-up paraphernalia, relates the Washington Star.

"Say," hoarsely inquired the manager, "do you see what that man took with him to eat?"

The man to whom the question was addressed had not noticed.

"A bowl of milk, a dish of sliced cucumbers, two deviled crabs, and a piece of rhubarb pie," groaned the manager, feeling tentatively of the fourth button of his waistcoat.

"Just try and figure that out," he went on. "How would you like to try a combination like that — milk, cucumbers, crabs and pie? When that man first came in here—it was during the first bad hot spell of the season—and selected that assortment of dainties I passed him my Montmorency smile."

"Bet?" said I.

"He looked me over without a blink. 'Hey?' said he.

"You bet the man, I suppose," said I, "that you could beat him over the links by 2 up and 3 to play, and you didn't make good?"

"He rested his crabs and cucumbers and his bowl of milk and his pie on the counter and looked me over.

"Say, what's the matter?" he finally asked me, with a mystified look.

"Then I told him how weird that combination of him looked."

"Oh, that is it?" said he, smiling. "Don't you let a little thing like that bother you. You ought to've seen my grandfather. He used to smoke a clay pipe and eat buttered gingerbread and green apples at the same time, and whistle 'Old Zip Coon' without missing a note, and he walked over to his seat and began his dainty luncheon."

"I kept my eye on him, nevertheless, and looked up on the telephone number of the nearest ambulance hospital. But he went right ahead as he's doing now."

"While I was still studying him—I could not keep my eyes off him—he walked up to the counter and selected a piece of cold mince pie and a tall glass of iced tea to top off with.

"He's been back every week day since, and that's about his regular noonday return. He's got to be one of my show pieces. He's Figure A in the exhibition."

"But there are others. See that little man over yonder with the white sides and pink cheeks—the one off there in the corner? What do you suppose his regular winter and summer high-noon refraction is, and has been for years past?

A plate of bread and butter, two large pickle and a cup of cocoa. Every week day of the year that old boy with the white things at the sides of his countenance commits that kind of an assault and battery on his diaphragm, and, say, just look at him—cheeks pink and healthy, eyes as clear as filtered well water and more hair on the top of his head than I've got, although he's 60, if he's a day."

"He told me the other day that he hadn't had a sick minute in 16 years. That, by the way, is how it is with most of the cormorants. The tougher the kind of conglomerations they habitually get away with, the healthier they look. But they're probably born that way. And as a matter of fact the majority of the men who come in here for lunch seem to just try to loop the loop with their digestive apparatuses."

### STRAIGHT ROAD TO SUCCESS

Sympathetic Employer Gives New Boy Much Encouragement and Reward Job.

"Now, Tom," said the general manager when the new boy reported for duty, relates the New York Press, "let me impress upon you that this is a critical period in your career."

"Yes, sir."

"You can climb to the top," said the general manager, wheeling around in his chair, "or you can fall to the lowest depths. All depends on yourself. Do you understand me, Tom?"

"Yes, sir."

"If you are honest, smart, truthful, tidy, diligent and pleasant to everybody you are certain to go onward and upward. You may not stop short of congress. You may even—ah, let me see—where were you born?"

"Is that in Brooklyn?" asked the manager, with some apprehension.

"No, sir. New York."

"Yes, yes. Very good. Well, Tom, you may even become president. Yes, my lad, president of the United States. Do you understand me?"

"Yes, sir," replied Tom, beginning to whimper, "but this is my first job."

"Don't cry here," said the sympathetic general manager, "your wages are \$2 a week. Go into the cellar and learn to peel onions. We use barrels of 'em in the pickling business."

#### On the Links.

Still another golf widow gives a pathetic pice of testimony. She recently spent a morning with her husband on the links, acting as caddie. They made the rounds three times, during which entire period the woman tactfully refrained from speech of any sort. Finally, coming up on the home green on the last round he missed his hole by the narrowest margin. She simply and sympathetically exclaimed:

"Too bad!" Whereupon the man angrily returned: "How can you expect me to play with your eternal chattering?" —N. Y. Globe.

#### More in It.

"Does your daughter play Mozart?" inquired the young man with gold-rimmed glasses.

"I believe she does," answered Mrs. Sanders, affably. "But I think she prefers bridge." —Stray Stories.

### SUSPENDERS AND SUSPENSE

What Uncle Sam Needs the Former For as Stated by a Halting Speaker.

A certain congressman from a mountain district, says the New York Sun, is troubled with a weak, squeaky little voice, which sometimes fails in the midst of what might otherwise be an eloquent oration.

Recently in addressing the house on a matter connected with tariff, he explained:

"Why, tariffs are like a pair of suspenders, sometimes tight and sometimes loose; but Uncle Sam needs them just the same, to keep up his—"

Here the congressman's voice struck a high treble note, flared and stopped.

The house held its breath while he cleared his throat. The suspense, which seemed to last for fully a minute, was more painful to the auditors than to the orator, for everyone was wondering whether he would say "suspenders" or "pants," and some were even hoping that he might say "pantaloons." Even "overalls" would be better than "pants," for "pants" is most unparliamentary.

But all fears were without foundation. He cleared his throat with the greatest care, and in a death-like stillness resumed his oration where he had dropped it: "to keep up his running expenses."

The words which followed were lost forever in a gale of laughter.

### SAVED CHILD'S LIFE.

Remarkable Cure of Dropsey by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Sedgwick, Ark., July 11.—The case of W. S. Taylor's little son is looked upon by those interested in medical matters as one of the most wonderful on record. In this connection his father makes the following statement:

"Last September, my little boy had Dropsey; his feet and limbs were swollen to such an extent that he could not walk nor put his shoes on. The treatment that the doctors were giving him seemed to do him no good and a few or three people said his disease was worse even than the doctors, two of the best in the country told me he would not get better. I started in with medicine and at once sent for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I gave him three Pills a day, one morning, noon and night for eight days; at the end of the eighth day the swelling was all gone, but to give the medicine justice, I gave him eleven more Pills. I used thirty-five Pills in all and he was entirely cured. I consider your medicine saved my child's life. When the thirty-five Pills were given him, he could run, dance and sing, whereas before he was an invalid in his mother's arms from morning until night."

### HONORS WERE PLUMB EVEN

Out-of-Town People Have Something to Talk About as Well as City Folks.

Maxfield Parrish, the illustrator, has a picturesque house in Vermont, and from this pleasant home he often makes excursions into the wildest and most isolated parts of the state, says the New York Tribune.

During a recent visit to New York Mr. Parrish said:

"I stopped overnight at a lonely Vermont farm last month. The house commanded a broad and desolate landscape. It was anything but gay."

"I remember the brief conversation I had with the farmer as he showed me to my bed. 'A very quiet place,' I said.

"It is, said he.

"Does a newspaper ever find its way here?"

"Seldom."

"Then," I said, "you don't hear much of what is going on in New York, eh?"

"No," said the farmer, grimly, "but then, you see, they don't hear much in New York of what is going on here, either."

Shore Bird Shooting.

The season of 1904 which opened July 1st in New York State—Long Island gunners report a record breaker. Of the forty odd varieties making Long Island an annual visitation, the flights arriving have been exceeding large and the end is not yet. Plover and yellow legs and all the other well known varieties are found in their usual haunts in exceedingly large numbers, hence the shooting along Great South Bay from Babylon through Patchogue and Moriches and both sides of Fire Island have been exceedingly good. Same is true in the Shinnecock Bay shooting grounds. Along both shores of Gardiners and Peconic Bays, and while not in such a great number of varieties, on the north or Sound shore of the Island the shooting is exceedingly good its entire length. Of the near by grounds, Jamaica Bay with its innumerable islands and flats running well into the water, furnish to the old timer hunting ground that is not excelled and possibly not even equaled elsewhere on the Atlantic coast.

No Mister.

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